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ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA AND OTHER ORGANIZATIONAL MATTERS

Status of documentation for the session

Note by the Secretary-General

1. By Economic and Social Council resolutions 1979/1 and 1979/69 on the control and limitation of documentation and 1988/77 on the revitalization of the Council, the Council reiterated that the Secretariat should circulate the relevant documentation in all the working languages six weeks before the opening of the sessions of the Council and its subsidiary organs, and invited the Secretariat to take steps to ensure effective compliance with rule 13, paragraph 4, of the rules of procedure of the Council.

2. By resolution 1979/69, the Council requested the Secretariat to inform the Council and its subsidiary bodies, in the relevant annotated agenda, which documents had not been issued in accordance with the six-week rule, with a full explanation of the reasons that prevented their circulation.

3. In view of the schedule of the thirty-eighth session of the Commission on the Status of Women (7-18 March 1994), the documentation for the session should have been submitted to the Division for Policy Coordination and Economic and Social Council Affairs by 20 December 1993 and circulated by 24 January 1994. The documents not circulated by that date are listed in the annex below.

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* E/CN.6/1994/1.

Annex

Status of documentation as at 18 February 1994

Agenda item	Document	Date of submission to the Division for Policy Coordination and Economic and Social Council Affairs	Date of submission to the Office of Conference Services	Actual or projected date of issue a/
2	Annotated provisional agenda (E/CN.6/1994/1)			Issued
5	Report of the Secretary-General on equal pay for work of equal value, including methodologies for measurement of pay inequities and work in the informal sector (E/CN.6/1994/2)	13 January 1994	3 February 1994	25 February 1994
5	Report of the Secretary-General on women in urban areas: population, nutrition and health factors for women in development, including migration, drug consumption and acquired immunodeficiency syndrome (E/CN.6/1994/3)	20 December 1993	27 January 1994	23 February 1994
5	Report of the Secretary-General on measures to eradicate violence against women in the family and society (E/CN.6/1994/4)			Issued
3	Report of the Secretary-General containing updated information on the status of women in the Secretariat and a comprehensive policy on measures aimed at the prevention of sexual harassment in the Secretariat (E/CN.6/1994/5)			
4	Report of the Secretary-General on the situation of and assistance to Palestinian women (E/CN.6/1994/6)	18 February 1994		
4	Report of the Secretary-General on women and children under apartheid (E/CN.6/1994/7)	18 February 1994		
4	Report of the Secretary-General on ways in which the communications mechanism of the Commission has been publicized (E/CN.6/1994/8)			
6	Report of the Secretary-General on the preparations for the Fourth World Conference on Women: Action for Equality, Development and Peace (E/CN.6/1994/9)	26 January 1994	8 February 1994	28 February 1994

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6	Report of the Secretary-General on the draft Platform for Action (E/CN.6/1994/10)			
4	Report of the Secretary-General on follow-up to the World Conference on Human Rights (E/CN.6/1994/11)	18 February 1994		
6	Report of the Inter-sessional Working Group of the Commission on the Status of Women (E/CN.6/1994/12)	20 January 1994	1 February 1994	28 February 1994
4	Results of the thirteenth session of the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women concerning the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women	18 February 1994		

a/ The date of issue can be indicated only for those documents which have reached the Department of Conference Services for processing.